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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 2, 2003, Applicant elects, without traverse, to prosecute the species of Figures 14 and 35 and submits that claims 1 - 6, 9, 43 - 49, 56, 57, 64 - 70, 77 and 78 read thereon.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

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